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WILL BOOM THE FAIR.

Church People Now Intend to Aid the Exposition.

PLEASED WITH SUNDAY CLOSING.

Resolutions Adopted by Churches in Canton. A Combined Movement on Foot Among the Different Churches of the County to Help the Big Show.

CHICAGO, July 18.—The church people evidently intend to do all in their power to boom the fair since Sunday closing has been inaugurated. The following preamble and resolutions were



FIXING THE LIGHTS ON ONE OF THE GREAT CHANDLERS IN LIBERAL ARTS BUILDING.

unanimously adopted by the congregations of the Baptist and Methodist Episcopal churches of Ravenswood. Resolutions of the same import were also adopted by the First Congregational church of Ravenswood.

Whereas, Promise is made that the great Columbian exposition is to be beneficent to the churches and community we can render unstinted support and co-operation without violating our conscientious convictions.

Resolved, That so far as possible between now and November next we will arrange our business and recreation with a view of avoiding influences of that splendid exposition, which has come to our very doors, and that we will encourage our friends at a distance who may have hitherto hesitated or remained away to visit the World's fair.

Resolved, That we will do our best for our own sakes and for the sake of our friends, and also as patriotic citizens, in recognition of the public-spirited and self-sacrificing expenditure of time and money on the part of our fellow citizens, who deserve great praise for their very able and devoted efforts in the completion of so very great an enterprise, and also in recognition of the fact that the supreme welfare and rights of the laboring classes are conserved in the recognition of their day of rest.

A Cincinnati dispatch says: E. B. Montfort, editor of The Herald and Presbyter, in an interview said:

"The religious newspapers, fully 800 in number, scattered all over the United States, now propose to join hands and boom the World's fair. Heretofore these papers have been doing all in their power to further Sunday closing, and have favored the plan of non-attendance of Christians at the exposition."

Following out this plan of action The Herald and Presbyter, The Western Christian Advocate and The Journal and Messenger will this week commence booming the fair editorially, and doing their utmost to encourage Presbyterians, Methodists and Baptists to attend.

A Receiver Appointed.

CHICAGO, July 18.—Judge Tuley appointed George S. Dixon receiver for the Great Western Wire works in a bond of \$12,000, on the application of Charles B. Morrow a stockholder in the company. The concern was organized with an authorized capitalization of \$200,000. It was shown that it was hopelessly insolvent, having had judgments entered against it aggregating \$5,500, upon which the sheriff took possession. The court issued an injunction restraining the company from carrying on its business.

Had a Simple Funeral.

WASHINGTON, July 18.—The funeral of General Kelton, ex-adjutant general, U. S. A., and governor of the Soldiers' home, was marked by perfect simplicity in all its features. He directed especially that there should be no military ceremonies, and that the use of carriages should be avoided. He desired to be buried like an enlisted man, and specified that his coffin should be the pine box generally used in the case of privates.

An Answer From the Queen.

LONDON, July 18.—The Rt. Hon. Charles Robert Spencer, vice chamberlain of her majesty's household, presented to the house of commons the queen's reply to the address of congratulation on the marriage of the Duke of York and Princess May, adopted by the house a few days ago. The reply merely expresses her majesty's gratification at the action of the house of commons in agreeing to the address.

Lumber Shovers at Work.

TORONTO, N. Y., July 18.—About 500 local lumber shovers were put to work on the docks and lumber-laden boats having arrived since Saturday. An effort was made by some of the officers of the union to hold the men together and induce them to remain out longer, but it failed, the men realizing they must work now or starve next winter.

Woolen Mill Assigns.

MADISON, Ind., July 18.—The Carrollton Woolen mill has assigned to H. M. Winslow. Liabilities, \$75,000, assets unknown. Stringency of the money market is given as the cause. Sixty-five people are idle.

Both Patients Recovering.

NEW YORK, July 18.—Assemblyman Shields of Brooklyn and General Ely Parker, who have been very ill at the New York hospital, are both said to be considerably improved.

Window's Daughter to Wed.

BOSTON, July 18.—The engagement is announced of Miss Ellen Window, daughter of the late senator of the treasury, and Mr. Henry Warren, a successful Boston lawyer.

VAN LOON DIDN'T ELOPE.

His Mother-in-Law Made the Match For Her Daughter.

COLUMBUS, O., July 18.—The friends of Frank Van Loon make a statement with reference to his marriage. It has been claimed that there was great opposition to the marriage on the part of the young lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Huddell, and that the match was a runaway affair. According to the statement made by Van Loon and his friends, Mrs. Huddell invited Frank to call on her daughter and acted throughout as a matchmaker.

Arrangements were completed for the celebration of the marriage at the Huddell residence and there was to be a big time. Frank came to the city after the license, bringing Miss Huddell with him. When they got the license they thought it would be a good joke to be married here and, this done, decided to spend the night in the city. This it is claimed, is all the ground there has been for the reports as to the opposition and the elopement.

A Destructive Storm.

STREUVILLE, O., July 18.—One of the most destructive wind and rain storms that ever visited Wayne township in the vicinity of Bloomfield station, swept over that section. The stable of C. J. Browning was struck by lightning and totally destroyed. The weather with 400 bushels of wheat therein. A barn on the William Hayes place was swept from its foundation and shattered by the wind. Great damage was done to fences and small outbuildings. The residence of John Weldon of Smithfield township took fire from a defective fuse and was destroyed. Loss \$2,500, fully insured.

Walked to Her Steep.

PORTSMOUTH, O., July 18.—A 7-year-old daughter of Theodore Shump, living on Gallia street, walked out of the second-story window and fell 20 feet to the stone pavement beneath. The mother saw the little girl just as she was climbing out, and made a frantic effort to catch her. When picked up she was bleeding profusely and seemed dead, but it was found that aside from a severe fracture of the shoulder she was not severely hurt unless internal injuries had been caused. The girl has been in the habit of sleep-walking.

A Tube in His Liver.

SPRINGFIELD, O., July 18.—Michael J. Madigan is the only man in Springfield, and probably in Ohio, having a rubber tube running from his liver to the surface of his body. He was given up to die when about two weeks ago a physician found he had abscess of the liver, a rare disease in this section of the country, and the rubber tube to drain the liver. Madigan is rapidly regaining health, and his liver is washed out daily by water ejected through the tube.

Miraculous Escape From Death.

HARRISON, O., July 18.—Clarence Walker, the 7-year-old son of Polk Walker, living near Harrison, O., had a miraculous escape from instant death. He had accompanied his father to the hayfield, and when the wagon was loaded with hay he attempted to climb on, when he fell beneath the front wheel, which passed over his stomach, but, strange to relate, did him no injury. Had the wheel passed over his abdomen in any other place his death would have been instantaneous.

Died From Grief.

NEWARK, O., July 18.—At St. Louisville, the county, W. C. Shaffer, aged 54 years, a respected citizen, died suddenly. His death was due to grief. Some days since his son, a young man, was arrested for burglarizing the post-office at St. Louisville and is in jail. This broke the father's heart and he grieved himself to death. He was a Christian man himself and the disgrace to his son was too much for him.

Recommended For Pardon.

COLUMBUS, O., July 18.—It has developed that William Schilling, sent from Darke county on a 3-year sentence for grand larceny, was recommended for pardon by the board of pardons. It was supposed that the recommendation was for a commutation of sentence. Schilling was quite a politician, and it is claimed that his conviction was procured through the machinations of political enemies.

Sentenced For Robbery.

BELLAIRE, O., July 18.—Anthony Connors and John Sutton, for the robbery of John Bethel, last November, were sentenced in the criminal court at Wheeling to serve each year each in the penitentiary at Moundsville, W. Va. George Pond, for stabbing George Hartman at Lazenaville, was arrested at Mingo, O., and taken to Wellsville, W. Va., for trial.

Charges of Unbecomable Conduct.

CINCINNATI, July 18.—Formal charges of unbecomable conduct were preferred by Maguire & Co. against the Pennsylvania company before the chamber of commerce. The charges will be vigorously pushed.

Killed by Lightning.

ATLANTA, July 18.—At Cumberland Island Corporal John W. Burke, Jr., of the Macon Volunteers, was struck by lightning, which ran down his tent pole and he was thrown out of the tent a corpse.

Dogs With Two Legs.

CINCINNATI, July 18.—W. Zinn of Cincinnati has a breed of dogs that have two legs and walk upright like a man. He has three of the animals. They are very intelligent and do many tricks.

Dr. Haines Dead.

WAYNESVILLE, O., July 18.—Dr. James W. Haines, president of the Waynesville school board and only son of Hon. S. S. Haines, died after a brief illness, aged 45 years.

A Boy Suicides.

SPRINGFIELD, O., July 18.—The lifeless body of Clyde Portmoss, aged 13, was found in Buck creek. He committed suicide because he was a cripple.

Found a Petrified Lizard.

CINCINNATI, July 18.—While tearing down an old house at Race and Longworth streets the workmen found a petrified lizard embedded in the mortar.

Banks Suspend Payment.

KANSAS CITY, July 18.—The Bank of Grand Avenue and the Missouri National bank have suspended payment.

CAPT. BOURKE ON TRIAL.

A Court Martial Investigating the Victoria Disaster.

ADMIRAL TRYON IS TO BLAME.

He Ordered the Evolutions Performed at Six Cable Lengths, When Advised to Make it Eight Cables.—Bourke Inclined to Shield Him.

VALETTA, Malta, July 18.—The court martial appointed to try the captain, the Hon. Maurice A. Bourke, Staff Commander Hawkins-Smith and the surviving officers of the British battleship Victoria, which was sunk in collision with the British battleship Camperdown, off Tripoli, Syria, on June 23, in session upon the Hibernia, the flagship of Rear Admiral Richard E. Tracey, admiral superintendent of the Malta dockyard. All the survivors were present when the proceedings opened.

Captain Bourke was placed on the stand and told the story of the accident. Captain Bourke repeated the conversation with Vice Admiral Tryon regarding the distance from each other to be observed by the ships, and how the vice admiral, after having originally fixed this distance at six cable lengths, agreed with the suggestion of the staff that it should be eight cable lengths. Subsequently the signal flags designated six cable lengths and when the vice admiral's attention was called to this fact he said they were to remain so. Captain Bourke added that he saw when the ships began to swing toward each other that there was not sufficient distance between them to allow of the evolution and he asked permission to reverse the port screw in order that the ships should make a shorter turn. This was given him, and subsequently both engines were ordered full speed astern. It was too late, however, to avert the disaster. The Victoria had turned 18 or 15 points when the Camperdown struck her. Captain Bourke described at length the details of the disaster. He had no complaint whatever against the conduct of any of the survivors.

Captain Winslow, the prosecutor, asked the survivors if they objected to anything in Captain Bourke's narrative of the disaster or if they had charges to make against any. All the survivors answered, "Nothing," in chorus. In the course of Captain Bourke's examination Prosecutor Winslow asked him: "When Staff Commander Hawkins-Smith suggested to Vice Admiral Tryon that eight cable lengths would be the better distance in which to form the columns that six lengths did you say anything in regard to the subject?"

Captain Bourke responded, "No." He then stated that after the conversation with the vice admiral, Captain Tryon went out and sat on the stern. Fleet Commander Gillford came to the witness and said that the staff commander had told him that "eight cable lengths" was the signal for the Camperdown to reverse. Vice Admiral Tryon said that he certainly had said the distance ought to be more than six cable lengths. The admiral turned to Lieutenant Gillford and said, "Leave it at six."

Then he turned to Captain Bourke and Vice Admiral Tryon, and said: "I am inclined to believe that you were the first to decide to say what passed between them after Gillford left them. The president reminded the witness that he must make a full statement, otherwise he would inculpate himself. Captain Bourke then said that he called Sir George's attention to the fact of the Victoria's turning in a circle of 800 yards. The admiral replied, "Let it remain at six cables."

The Insurgent Admiral Captured.

LONDON, July 18.—The Brazilian legation in this city has received the following communication from Brazil: The government of the Republic has captured the insurgent vessel "Capitao" with Admiral Wandenkolk on board, and captured her without resistance off Santa Catharina. There has been no fighting whatever in Rio Grande do Sul. Three weeks ago the rebels were compelled to cross into Uruguay, where they were disarmed. The reports as to the suspension of the habeas corpus in Brazil are totally unfounded.

Joined the Revolutionists.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, July 18.—Leaders of the Liberal party decided in a secret meeting to join the Revolutionists in Leon, and Santos Selaya, with 40 followers, went to the revolutionary headquarters. They came out more strongly in favor of the government. General Aviles, who escaped from the revolutionists, who made him and President Machado prisoners in Leon when the revolution broke out, reached Managua. His presence has aided materially in restoring public confidence.

The Kaiser Going to Sweden.

BERLIN, July 18.—Emperor William, accompanied by the German empress, sailed from Kiel on the imperial yacht Hohenzollern. Their majesties will visit Bornholm, an island belonging to Denmark, in the Baltic sea, Guttenberg, in Sweden, and other places in that country. The party will also meet King Oscar and the other members of the Swedish royal family at Stockholm.

Died of Hydrophobia.

ASBURY PARK, July 18.—Miss Lizzie Byram, aged 19 years, daughter of A. J. Byram, a manufacturer of patent medicines, died at her summer home here of hydrophobia, the result of a bite from a pet dog inflicted early last April.

The President on a Cruise.

BUZZARD'S BAY, Mass., July 18.—President Cleveland left on E. B. Benson's yacht, the Onondaga, for a cruise. It is said, of several days' duration. Considerable baggage was taken aboard with the president.

Shipping Silver to Europe.

NEW YORK, July 18.—Zimmerman & Adkins, a farmer living near Sciotoville, Ohio, shipped 250,000 ounces of silver, \$7.50 a pound, to Europe today.

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Some Surprises About to Be Springing by the Board of Trade.

COLUMBUS, O., July 15.—John Biggs, Vice President of the Board of Trade, announced to the board of trade, for the purpose of having Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Huddle make an affidavit discrediting the testimony they gave at the trial.

It will be remembered that the Huddells are the parents of Van Loon's wife, and that Mr. Huddle claims to have discovered the stolen money in Van Loon's pocket the day after the bank robbery. The detectives spent some time at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Huddle trying to have them sign the affidavit, but they had prepared, but failed. It is said Mr. and Mrs. Huddle claim to know what became of the \$1,200 stolen by Van Loon from the bank, and that \$800 of it was taken to Ottawa when the trial began, with the intention of giving it to the lawyers engaged for the defense as retainers for their services in the case.

It is said this money was stolen from its custodian at headquarters at Ottawa, the third night after the trial began, and the identity of the thief is said to be a relative of Frank Van Loon. It was because of the alleged theft of this money that the board of trade directed the attorneys that the strike of the lawyers for the security of the fees occurred on the fourth day of the trial, so that most interested claim. It is intimated that another man, a distant relative of Frank Van Loon, had all the plans for the robbery and at a safe distance directed the job. Frank's wife, it is asserted, is in possession of this fact and threatens to make it known in the event her husband hangs.

Still another phase of the case is about to develop. Detective M. B. Martin was at the governor's office and obtained copies of the nine affidavits filed two weeks ago with the secretary of the board of pardons, attacking the character of Mrs. Huddle, with a view of impeaching her testimony. Detective Martin has been employed by indignant citizens of Columbus to prosecute these nine persons. Warrants will probably be sworn out for their arrest in a day or two.

Complicated Labor Troubles.

SPRINGFIELD, O., July 15.—The trouble between the union stonecutters and non-union bricklayers at the Ohio Masonic home is not yet settled. The home, a large building, is now the only one, refused to work with the non-union bricklayers and they were unable to lay any brick. Another complication was added by Assistant Superintendent Smith, notifying Fish & Crist, the contractors, that the bricklayers had been condemned. The stonecutters were arrested for riotously and unlawfully preventing the bricklayers from working.

Gamblers Leaving Columbus.

COLUMBUS, O., July 15.—All the cases against the gamblers and saloonkeepers growing out of the general raid last Sunday on Olentangy villa and other suburban resorts were disposed of in the police court by fining each of the defendants \$20 and costs. The pool-room and faro bank kept by John Alexander, the "Black Prince," and George Black, outside of the southwestern corporation line, is now the only gamblinghouse in this county. A general exodus of sports is to be the result. Many of them are already leaving.

Bicycle Works Fail.

CINCINNATI, July 15.—The sheriff has taken charge of the Buckeye Cycle company's affairs at their establishment, 28 West Fifth street. The company was indebted to a printing concern for \$1,000, which insisted on immediate payment. The Buckeye company asked for time, but this was refused and a suit filed for the amount. An hour later the sheriff served the execution, and the company was forced to make to settle the claim, but nothing has yet been done in that direction.

A Hard Time Marrying.

PEEBLES, O., July 15.—Andrew Jackson Scott and Miss Clara Taylor, who were to be wed, and as a result they are having a tough time of it. Judge Tolle refused to issue a license, notwithstanding the parents of the girl, who is but 15 years old, gave their consent. The young people, accompanied by the parents of the girl, went to Mayville, Ky., but returned, having also been refused a license in that city. Scott is 19 years of age, and the parties all reside in Greene township.

A Well-to-do Farmer Sued.

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., July 15.—In the common pleas court Jack Cannon of this place is a suit filed against him by Wellsville Daily Standard, charging him with damages of \$5,000. The suit is based upon the publication of an article in the Standard several weeks since, wherein it was charged that Cannon had assaulted and killed a woman, when Cannon says he was not within five miles of the spot where the alleged assault occurred.

Died Under the Knife.

COLUMBUS, O., July 15.—Archibald Brannon, a 15-year-old son of a farmer living near Richwood, Union county, died at the Protestant hospital here while undergoing a surgical operation. A year ago while at play he fell upon a nail, receiving a deep wound in the breast. The injury produced a tumor, which covered the entire neck and breast. Dr. R. Harvey Reed attempted to remove the tumor and the boy died under the knife.

Youthful Thilltipers.

DEFIANCE, O., July 15.—Ned Ables, Harry Lang and Ike Donat, three lads of this city, were bound over to court for the purpose of being committed to the custody of several merchants in broad daylight. It appears the boys had organized, and expected to do a stiff trade in the business of storebreaking. Two of the boys are of wealthy parentage.

Rate War to Chicago.

CINCINNATI, July 15.—It is expected that the railroad rate war will be commenced, one road announcing an open rate for 30 days of \$7, with 10 days' return limit, to Chicago. This will completely demoralize rates through the Central Traffic association.

Bank Failure at Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, July 15.—The National Bank of Kansas City, at the southeast corner of Fifth and Delaware streets, has suspended payment and is now in the hands of the controller of the currency. The assets will be between \$1,000,000 and \$1,500,000 and the liabilities between \$800,000 and \$1,000,000.

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DUN'S REVIEW OF TRADE.

A Better Tone Because Money Markets Are Less Stringent.

IMPROVEMENTS NOT DISTINCT.

Exports of Products For Two Weeks Have Been Light.—The Treasury Not Effecting the Situation—Large Increase in Business Failures.

NEW YORK, July 15.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says: There is a somewhat better tone in business, because the money markets are a little less stringent. But it cannot be said as yet that there is any distinct improvement. In every direction usual conservatism prevails, orders are relatively small, the volume of business is restricted and a waiting policy rules. New York banks have received some money from the interior, but are not yet clear that it is best to retire clearing house certificates, because there are said to be weak spots which may yet require liberal extension of credits. Other cities have drawn less from New York, because their business is restricted. Some gold has come already from abroad and more is expected within the next week, but exports of products do not increase as much as has been expected.

At Philadelphia it is still hard to place good commercial paper, small dealers are hoarding money and little activity is seen in the markets for important products. The unseasonable weather has checked operations in drygoods. At Pittsburgh a drop is seen in prices, though trade is generally dull, and the wages question is unsettled. The glass trade is in fair condition and the coal business dull. At Cincinnati trade is quiet, money a shade easy and bank deposits increasing. At Cleveland trade is good in groceries, but otherwise dull, collections are slow and money close.

The decrease of nearly 20,000 tons in weekly output of pig iron is not unexpected this season, nor is it an unfavorable symptom. Unsold stocks have decreased by 10,000 tons, but the markets are dull and concessions common. Reduction of prices in many woolen goods has not brought out large orders, and it is believed that most of the mills will be employed only part time for the rest of the year. Sales of wool are not quite two-thirds of last year's, with prices favoring buyers.

The exports of products are light for two weeks at New York being only \$18,312,610, against \$19,779,739 last year. In June the export of breadstuffs, provisions, cotton, oil and cattle amounted to \$39,705,981 in value, against \$42,782,200 for the same months last year, with noteworthy decrease in quantities of most products, though in wheat and the loss in value was due to a fall in prices. Speculative markets have not been active during the past week, though wheat is 1-4 cent higher, corn 3-4 of a cent higher, and cotton 1-8 cent higher. With small transactions prices have tended upward as the monetary stringency has relaxed.

The treasury has not materially affected the financial situation during the past week, and has taken much less than the usual quantity of silver, because but little was offered at the market price. The stock market has been distinctly weak, though without symptoms of a panic and the average decline in active railroad stocks has been about \$2 per share.

The mercantile failures during the week number 374 in the United States, against 168 last year for the same week, and in Canada 25, against 22 last year.

Swindling Old Soldiers.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., July 15.—A party of clever swindlers have been working the old soldiers in Lincoln county, this state. They represented themselves as agents of the United States government, and stated their business was to organize lodges of old soldiers. They organized one in Lincoln county and it turned out to be an immense swindle. They told the old soldiers that the secretary of the treasury needed all the gold on hand to meet the stringency of the money market, and if they would assign their pension checks, which are payable in gold, they would receive greenbacks in return and the gold be forwarded to Washington. The swindlers then cashed the checks with bright, new greenbacks, which have proved worthless. The greenbacks men have left for parts unknown.

Eloped With an Ex-Soldier.

UNIONVILLE, O., July 15.—The clerk of the peace of this place is considerably excited over the elopement of Mrs. David Starr, the wife of a respectable citizen, and William Smith, an ex-general in the Salvation Army. Mrs. Starr has several times confessed to her husband that she loved Smith, but only for his prayers, which he was in the habit of offering at her house, principally during the absence of Mr. Starr. Mrs. Starr is the mother of three children, aged 16, 13 and 2 years, respectively. The value of the eloping couple is unknown.

Spending His Life in Prison.

BOSTON, July 15.—James Kennedy, with a record of 23 years in the state prison, and who has had but three months' freedom since his escape from the past 15 years, was arrested on a warrant charging him with burglary at Revere. Kennedy, if convicted of this crime, must serve 25 years under the habitual criminal act. He has been free only since June 21 of the current year. Since that time it is believed that he has done considerable "crooked" work besides the burglary at Revere.

A Girl's Body Found.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., July 15.—The body of a woman was found in the Kanawha river at Peerslee, a few miles below here. Several valuable articles of jewelry were found on the fingers and clothing, and the body was that of a handsome girl. There is a deep mystery surrounding the finding of the body, and it is feared there has been foul play.

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THE LAST OPEN SUNDAY.

Only a Fair Sized Crowd Was in Attendance.

IT WAS KNOWN AS 'HEROES' DAY.

The Admission Money Goes to the Families of the Fire Victims—Model of the United States Treasury in Columbian Palace.

CHICAGO, July 17.—The last open Sunday of the exposition did not show any improvement upon other Sundays in attendance but as nearly all pass holders paid the entrance fee of 50 cents, the fund for the benefit of the fire victims from the loss of the stock exchange was increased in a substantial way. The morning was uncomfortably warm, but a shower at noon cooled the atmosphere a few degrees. The pass gates were almost entirely ignored, the holders of the photographic privileges in every instance buying a piece of paste-board bearing the

Claimed She Was in Heaven.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., July 17.—Mrs. F. McIntosh, the young wife of a professional man of Bloomington, has for nearly a week been at the point of death. Several days ago she was given up by her physicians and not one occasion following sinking spells the report went about the city that she was dead. She had another sinking spell and apparently departed this life. Her husband, her parents and her children and friends were gathered around her bed, when suddenly the apparently dead woman came back to life, and in a few moments spoke in clear and distinct tones. She said that she had been in heaven and talked with Christ and had the Savior bid her to get up and could return to earth for a time. She added that she knew that she would now live. She has continued to improve and her friends now believe that she will be restored to health.

Wrecked Under Unusual Conditions.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—A freight train collision occurred near here under unusual conditions. The crew of an outgoing train saw a man lying near the track apparently injured, and the train was stopped and an investigation made. It was found that the man was unconscious from a wound in the head and a fractured leg. He was placed in the caboose, but before the train could be started another freight also outward bound came along and crashed into the standing cars. The men in the caboose had not time to remove the injured men, barely escaping from the wreck themselves by jumping. It is estimated that the freight train collision did not aggravate the injuries of the victim. He was brought to the city and placed in a hospital and it is reported that he is somewhat improved.

Fight With Russian Hebrews.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 17.—The Jews of Yalta, in the Crimea, refuse to obey the decree to retire within the pale. For several days the clergy exhorted the rest of the population to rise and expel them. Last week an anti-Jew mob took possession of the streets, broke into houses occupied by Jews and tried to drive the occupants from the town. The Jews fought back. Dozens were dragged into the streets and expelled them. Many were killed. The houses owned by Jews were plundered and wrecked. Troops were called to the town to restore order. None of the rioters were killed and but few were injured.

Rear Admiral English Dead.